

WAR NEWS

TROUBLE IS EXPECTED IN
SOUTH AFRICA

TWO PRINCES FIGHT NOBLE

For Greeks and Were Tended an
Ottoman After the Fight—Much
Praying at Athens—Over 10,000
Killed on Each Side—More Fighting.

LONDON, May 6.—The Athens correspondent of the Daily Mail says: "Ten thousand Greeks were killed yesterday in a fierce battle at Velosina. The fighting ceased at 10 o'clock this morning, but it is evident that the Greeks made great success. There has been a great struggle between the two sides, and both are still proceeding. The Crown Prince Constantine telegraphs as follows: 'With God's help our side has equalled the Ottomans'."

The Athens correspondent of the Standard under date of Wednesday, May 5, says: "The Greeks were rejoicing over the receipt of an official telegram from Prince Constantine, who said that his troops have held their own and that the Greeks now hold the field after a fierce battle. The despatch says that both Crown Prince Constantine and Prince George were present in the front rank, risking their lives a hundred times in the heat of the engagement from the whole army when the fighting was over."

It is estimated that over 10,000 have been killed in each of the armies.

RESERVES MAY BE CALLED

Large Shipment of Ammunition—A
Call for Another British Troop—
Retreat of the Grecian Army—The
Powers Have Proposed Mediation.

LONDON, May 7.—A despatch from Captain Town says that the army in reserve has been called up and will be held there in readiness for service. It is believed that the Transvaal authorities are giving way, and that the Natal border will be paraded and that the Free State will be invaded. It will be reported immediately. The Transvaal government has sent a ultimatum to the British government, and the Free State asking the Afrikanders to meet them in Transvaal.

One million rounds of Lee-Metford cartridges and an immense quantity of shells have been sent to South Africa today.

It is rumoured in military circles that there will be 35,000 British troops in South Africa within a very few months.

GREEK ARMY RETREATS.

LONDON, May 7.—A despatch received yesterday afternoon says that the retreat of the Greek Standards has retreated from Velosina.

A PROPOSAL OF MEDIATION.

ATHENS, May 7.—A proposal of mediation is made that the powers have intervened and proposed mediation.

The French, British, German, Italian, Russian, and Dutch have been invited to send their Ministers to the German and Austrian Ministers are expected every moment.

THE GREEKS OUTNUMBERED.

ATHENS, May 7.—The Greek army which had been beaten at Velosina forces about Pharsala retreated last night and has taken up a position at Domokos, 12 miles from the southwest.

The retreat of the Greeks is explained by the statement that a small party of Prince Constantine held a conference with the British general and decided that in view of the Turkish army having received large reinforcements they must be given to greatly outnumber the Greeks in battle was inevitable and was decided to retire to Domokos.

The King, who is a man of great strength and commands the town, which is a great advantage.

THE REVOLUTIONARY PARTY

Making Things Uncomfortable for the Royal Family—They Are Insulted in the Streets—Greek Troops Will Not Leave Crete—Extermination.

LONDON, May 8.—A Home correspondent says:

"Private news from Athens which ought to be known shows that the love of royalty there to be more personal than ever. Members of the royal family have been withdrawn from the public places, and the Queen and Princesses visit the hospitals they are openly insulted in the streets. The public opinion of the country is that agents sent their majesties should attempt to exterminate."

ATHENS, May 8.—It is stated positively that if the Powers insist on the withdrawal of the Queen and Princesses from Crete as a condition of mediation, Crete will reply that she prefers war, even to extirmination."

"OUR LADY OF THE SNOWS."

The following report of the "Lady of the Snows" incident in the House of Commons the other day is given by an observer:

"Mr. Davis moved the adjournment of the House in order to call attention to the fact that Rudyard Kipling has described Canada in his poem. Mr. Davis spoke briefly in private, and said it should rather be called 'Our Lady of the Snows.'

"Mr. Laurier, I do not know if Rudyard Kipling's description of Canada is not a good one, but we are all accustomed for we have daily notice of it in the House to read example of it. We see that the poets are very much given to license, and I think that the Queen of the House and out of it, are sometimes not so felicitous in their phrases as they might be, one objects very seriously,

But I shall object if the license taken by poets are to interfere with the business of the House, we have no sufficient grounds. We have gentlemen who are up to the mark and their sitting down without doing a thing I hope that therefore we have no poet and more business."

Mr. Gladstone asked if it was a fact that the poem "Our Lady of the Snows," originated with a very distinguished member of the Conservative party.

"Mr. Quinn said the expression "Our Lady of the Snows" did not quite true

that it was immortalized in verse by a man, Hon. Thos. D'Arcy McGee, whose reputation, he was both as a poet and as a statesman, was great.

The Conservative party were proud of him, and the present Government present. Government produce its equal."

Mr. Adolphe Caron saw no reason why Canada should complain of the title of Kipling's poem, which he thoroughly approved.

HIS EXCELLENCE CHANG

Passes Through London to Carry
On His Mission to the United States.

On Thursday's train from the east were four sleepers containing the passengers from the last oriental mission, headed by His Excellency Earl Chang, the Chinese Minister of Foreign Affairs, and his son, the famous Earl Li, who visited Calgary last year and became a popular favorite among doctors, cooks and servants. A representative who was with the party said that the Chinese delegation had been well received by the party, which included the Hon. Mr. O. Ting, Chief Director of Mines and the Hon. Mr. C. H. Liu, who gave information about mining laws and regulations.

Earl Chang's mission is to carry the congratulations of the Emperor of China to the King and Queen on the occasion of the Jubilee celebrations in London. Chang is an old chum with a Canadian who has been a member of His staff for several secretaries and attendants. Most of them conversed in English fluently and with taking over several presents for the King, including a silver bowl. The full vote was 16 to 23. A careful examination of the bill showed that the bill was in a bad pickle and the most sanguine supporters were forced to admit that it was a bad bill. Many hoped against hope and felt that there was at least a faint chance of its being passed. Hon. Mr. Howe voted against it, but his opponents asserted their confidence in the bill and said they would be able to pull enough votes.

LAW MAKERS

ARBITRATION TREATY KILLED
IN U.S. SENATE

STILL TARIFF AT OTTAWA

The Government Will Endeavor to Get a Move on—Western Members Kick Against the New Tariff—Want the Duty as Promised—Arbitration? No!

OTTAWA, May 6.—The government has taken a stand on the new tariff, after this week, every day except Mondays for government business, members of the opposition will be allowed to get down to business.

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